

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

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**GEOFFREY BAGUMA,**

*Appellant*

v.

**HUMAN RESOURCES  
DIVISION,**

*Respondent*

**Case No.: B2-14-55**

**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

On March 6, 2014, the Appellant, Geoffrey Baguma (Mr. Baguma), filed an appeal with the Civil Service Commission (Commission), claiming that he was aggrieved because the state's Human Resources Division (HRD) scored his promotional examination for police sergeant incorrectly, resulting in a failing grade.

Specifically, Mr. Baguma wrote, "My test was graded on the scale of the entire test packet, instead of being graded on the first 80 questions which were the questions reserved for the sergeant promotional. I am testing for the position of sergeant."

On April 1, 2014, I held a pre-hearing conference which was attended by counsel for HRD and Mr. Baguma. At the pre-hearing conference, HRD provided documentation verifying that Mr. Baguma's examination score was based only on his answers to the first 80 questions.

For this reason, Mr. Baguma's appeal under Docket No. B2-14-55 is hereby *dismissed*.

Civil Service Commission

Christopher C. Bowman  
Chairman

By vote of the Civil Service Commission (Bowman, Chairman; Ittleman, McDowell and Stein, Commissioners) on April 17, 2014.

A True Record. Attest:

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Commissioner

Either party may file a motion for reconsideration within ten days of the receipt of this Commission order or decision. Under the pertinent provisions of the Code of Mass. Regulations, 801 CMR 1.01(7)(1), the motion must identify a clerical or mechanical error in this order or decision or a significant factor the Agency or the Presiding Officer may have overlooked in deciding the case. A motion for reconsideration does not toll the statutorily prescribed thirty-day time limit for seeking judicial review of this Commission order or decision.

Under the provisions of G.L. c. 31, § 44, any party aggrieved by this Commission order or decision may initiate proceedings for judicial review under G.L. c. 30A, § 14 in the superior court within thirty (30) days after receipt of this order or decision. Commencement of such proceeding shall not, unless specifically ordered by the court, operate as a stay of this Commission order or decision.

Notice to:

Geoffrey Baguma (Appellant)

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